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Fire at Clarksville, Tenn., covered an area of ten acres and caused a lose of about \$500,000, mostly in tobacco. Insurance, \$300,000.

The grand jury at Bridgeport, Connecticut, indicted Dr. Nancy Guilford for the murder of Emma Gill, the vic- with the stereotyped excuse, "It ain't tim of the Yellow Mill tragedy.

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cratic nomination, viz: Gus G. Coulter, of Graves; Jim W. Gayle, of Owen; John B. Chenault, of Madison, and R. M. Collier, of Harrison.

The fundamental law of money is that the supply of currency for the exchange of products ought to increase in a direct ration to the possible increase of production. Of course, Gold Standard Republicans are op posed to this law as they are to every other which promotes tairness and justice.-Mississippi Valley Democrat

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### AN EFFECTIVE PARABLE.

General Joubert's Story Saved the Lives of the Jameson Halders. A most interesting account of the manner in which the lives of Jameson

and his men were spared, after the surrender to the Boers, is told by the Nieuws Van den Dag of Amsterdam: The stern old Boers, when they had Jameson and his fellow officers in their hands, determined to execute the leaders of the band at daybreak. The meeting took place in President Kruger's house, 20 being present, of whom the great majority, wild with indignation

at the sudden inroad into their territory, were for shooting the British officers at once. President Kruger opposed this sum-mary plan and used all his eloquence and all his influence on behalf of the prisoners. For a long time his efforts were vain. It was 4 o'clock in the morning, and the president's opponents

were still for execution. The lives of the foreigners hung by a thread.

At length General Joubert, one of the few who agreed with the president, had recourse to the old time Boer method of convincing his hearers. He made use of a parable.

"Friends," he said, "will you not listen to my voice once more? Suppose that close to my farm lives a bad neighbor who keeps fierce bounds in his house, worrying my sheep exceedingly and also killing some. What, then, would you have me to do? Should I kill the hounds to be free of this worry? Truly my neighbor would say unto me: Thou hast killed my hounds, yet their value is greater than the value of your sheep. Pay thou me!' Is it not better that I should take the bounds and going into my neighbor's house say. These are thine; now pay me for the harm they have done my flock?" "

There was silence, and the general continued: "We have caught the pack. Is it not better to send them to the British government with demands for reparation, lest the British send more ounds to worry us anew?"

The old form of argument proved successful. The wisdom of moderation became apparent, and the council of war accepted the advice of their chiefs.

### SERVANTS' EXCUSES.

One Woman Who Was Clever Enough to Circumvent Them.

We have heard the story of the Canadian mistress who, with seven servants in her house, was obliged to go to the garden and pick berries for the table. Each of the servants declined the task my place to pick berries." Ord, in his "History of Cleveland," relates an anecdote of Margaret Wharton, who, while accepting her servants' excuse, yet made them do her will.

In one of her visits to Scarborough Mrs. Wharton, with her usual economy, had a family pie for dinner, which she directed the footman to convey to the bakehouse. This the man declined to quence. The lady then moved the question to the coachman, but found a still

To save the pride of both Mrs. Wharton resolved to take the pie to the shop herself. She ordered one man to harness and bring out the horses and the other to mount and ride behind, and thus the errand was done with all honor The race for Auditor is made up and ceremony. Then in due time the with four candidates for the Demo- coachman was ordered to put to a second time and the footman to mount behind, and Mrs. Wharton brought back the pie in the same dignified state.

"Now," said the lady to the coachman, "you have kept your place, which is to drive, and you yours," to the footman, "which is to wait, and I mine, which is to have my pie for dinner."

### Continuous Steel Pipe.

The West Australian government has taken a contract to lay nearly 850 miles of water pipe of a novel character. This pipe is to be made of steel spirals packed in concrete. Sheet metal is cut into strips of the required width. These are fed into a machine and welded into one continuous strip. As the strip is fed into the machine rivet holes are punched; then the edges of the laps are brought together by machinery and held during the process of riveting, which is all done by compression. The lap is thrown on the outside of the pipe, rendering the inner surface sooth and even throughout its length. A tenacious hydraulic cement is packed around the laps, making the pipe absolutely water tight.-New York Ledger.

She Loves Birds. The dowager empress of China is deroted to birds of all kinds, and innunerable bird pets are kept about the palace. She is reported to have wept opiously about the death of a favorite nightingale not along ago. Upon being told of a Chinese girl who had complained bitterly of the dreariness of life this exalted lady remarked sagely that a woman ought to take so much pride in her home that it could be a heaven to her, adding, "There are always birds and flowers." She is a clever artist and delights in painting from nature.

### Can't Hold America Down. "Why, sir," said the geologist, "the

ground you walk on was once under water.

"Well," replied the friend, who is nothing if not patriotic, "it simply goes to show you can't hold America down." -Washington Star.

A southern man says that the difference between yellow fever and dengue fever is that when one has the former he is afraid he will die and when the latter attacks him he is fearful that he

According to the latest statistics, the population of Greece is increasing more rapidly than that of any other country -namely, at the rate of 1.87 per cent per annum.

### MAKING WOOD ALCOHOL.

For Sterling Advocate, Tuesday, October 11, 1898.

The Deadly Substance That Thirsty Topers Sometimes Drink.

It is necessary first to convert wood into liquid. The strongest hydraulic pressure would not squeeze one-half of 1 per cent of the moisture from dry wood, but by putting the same material into an iron retort and converting it into charcoal by means of heat the gases and smoke, to the extent of fully 65 per cent of the weight of the wood, may be condensed into pyroligheous acid, from which are obtained wood alcohol, acetate of lime and wood tars. A cord of wood weighing 4,000 pounds produces about 2,650 pounds of pyroligneous acid and 700 pounds of charcoal. The pyroligneous acid from one cord of wood produces 9 gallons of 83 per cent crude wood alcohol, 200 pounds of acetate of lime and about 25 gallons of tar, besides 35 bushels of charcoal. After the pyroligneous acid is neutralized with lime the wood alcohol is distilled off, the lime holding the acetic acid in solution. After the separation of the wood spirit the remaining liquid is boiled down in pans to a sugar, which is dried, and becomes the acetate of lime of commerce. Acetate of lime is used for making acetic Fully three-fifths of all the wood al-

cohol and acetate of lime produced in the world are made in the United States. Over 15,000 acres of forest per year are cleared in the United States. Wood alcohol affords a perfect substitute for grain alcohol for manufacturing and mechanical purposes, and at less than one-third the cost. It is used principally as a solvent in the making of shellac varnish and in making celluloid and photographic paper. It makes beautiful New York, dye tints, is antiseptic and is used for liniments and for skin rubbing in bathhouses.—Wine and Spirit Gazette.

### LOCATING A COUPLET.

A Familiar Quotation Ascribed to Butler Is Placed.

Few popular quotations have more engaged the pens of critics than the following:

For he that fights and runs away Will live to fight another day.

These lines are almost universally supposed to form a part of "Hudibras, and so confident have even scholars been on the subject that in 1784 a wager was made at Bootle of 20 to 1 that they were to be found in that inimitable poem. Dodsley was referred to as the arbiter, when he ridiculed the idea of consulting him on the subject, saying, Every fool knows they are in 'Hudi-

George Selwyn, who was present, said to Dodsley, "Pray, sir, will you be good enough, then, to inform an old fool, who is at the same time your wise worship's very humble servant, in what canto they are to be found?" Dodsley took down the volume, but

be could not find the passage. The next day came, with no better success, and the sage bibliophile was obliged to confess "that a man might be ignorant of the author of this well known couplet without being absolutely a fool." Butler has indeed two or three passages somewhat similar. The one that comes nearest is the following, in "Hudibras," book 3, canto 3, verse 243:

For those that fly may fight again, Which he can never do that's slain.

The fact, however, is that the couplet, thus erroneously ascribed to the author of "Hudibras," occurs in a small volume of miscellaneous poems by Sir John Mennes, written in the reign of Charles II.—Exchange

### In the Wrong Place.

A characteristic story of General Scott is told in connection with the sword presented to him by the state of Louisiana, through the legislature, at the close of the Mexican war.

He was accosted one day by a man who said: "General Scott, I had the honor of doing most of the work on the sword presented to you by the state of Louisiana. I should like to ask if it was just as you would have chosen."

"It's a very fine sword, sir, a very fine sword indeed," said the general. I am proud to have it. There is only one thing I should have preferred different. The inscription should have been on the blade, sir. The scabbard may be taken from us, but the sword, never!"

The sword cost about \$500, the prindpal expense being in the scabhard, which was richly chased and ornamented. -Exchange.

### Incident of Trolley Travel.

"What the dash are you here for?" said an angry passenger, stepping down slowly from the footboard of a trolley car. He thought the conductor should have looked out for him and stopped the car where he wanted to get off, a block

belloord (ting, ting!) as he spoke, and "Zip, zip, zip," came the sound of the motorman's lever turning in the

notches, and "Bz-z-zz-zz-zz!" sang the trolley, and before he knew it the passenger found himself standing alone in the middle of the road.-New York Sun.

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